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**Births.**  
CARLEY.—July 9, at her residence, American Hotel, Ultimo-street, Gisela, the wife of George Carley, of a son.  
COHEN.—July 10, at her residence, 424, Camberwell-street, Prince Alfred Park, the wife of H. L. Cohen, of a daughter.  
DUNLEATH.—At her residence, 841, George-street, the wife of Frederick Dyer, of a son.  
EVERTITT.—July 15, at her residence, 140, Quarry-street, Ultimo, Mrs. James Evertitt, of a son.  
HADFIELD.—July 19, at her residence, Balmain, the wife of W. C. Hadfield, of a daughter.  
JONES.—July 18, at her residence, Lorne-terrace, Pitt-street, Moseley, the wife of James Jones, of a daughter.  
KIRKLAND.—July 15, at her residence, 180, Wellington-street, the wife of William Murray Kirkland, of a daughter.  
PENFARSHIRE.—N. B., papers please copy.  
MORT.—July 15, at Brunts, Rosalie, the wife of Ladley Mort, of a son.  
MURDOCH.—July 18, at Nollie, Handwick, the wife of Herman Murdoch, of a daughter.  
ROBEY.—July 19, at Manly, the wife of H. Townsend Robey, of twins, son and daughter.

## Marriages.

BATES.—ELIOT.—June 20, at the residence, by the Rev. P. F. Mathews, Alton Arthur, third son of the late John Bates, of Mrs. Bates, Wager, to Adela Mary, only daughter of the late Robert Ellby of Penrith.  
BEATON.—YOUNG.—July 14, 1885, at St. Saviour's Church, Redfern, Mr. G. R. Stoddart, Thomas William, eldest son of the late Thomas Beaton, Sheahan, to Mary Anne, fourth daughter of the late Robert Young, Pitt-street, New South Wales.  
DAVISON.—SMITH.—July 14, at St. John's Church, George's Town, Bathurst, by the Rev. F. R. Boyce, assisted by Rev. J. Young, Percy, eldest son of Captain Dawson Davison, formerly of the Royal Engineers, and Emily, the only daughter of the late Joseph Smith, of Mildura, Bathurst.  
EGAN.—BROWN.—September 26, 1878, at St. Peter's, Britomart, Queenstown, by the Rev. J. O'Reilly, Christopher Brown, son of 18, and Emily, daughter of Michael Murphy, Milton, Brisbane, to Anna, daughter of Richard Murphy, Milton, Brisbane.  
JIBBS.—COOPER.—July 18, 1886, in the Congregational Parsonage, 11, Macquarie-street, N. S. W., by the Rev. C. Whyte, M.A., Fred Thomas Meade Gibbs, eldest son of the Ven. Archdeacon Gibbs, over 20 years Archdeacon of the Virgin Islands, V. I., and Emily, daughter of the late Rev. Dr. J. C. Gibbs, of Armaville, younger daughter of E. Walker Cooper, district agent, A. M. & S. Co., Newcastle.  
MARLOW.—FLETCHER.—At Linton, Richmond River, by the Rev. J. G. Fletcher, son of Tunstall, now living at Linton, to Eleanor Fletcher, of Linton.  
STEPHEN.—LONGFIELD.—July 6, at St. Matthew's Church, Botany, by the Rev. L. J. Longfield, Thomas Longfield, son of Mrs. Hill, Sarah, the beloved wife of William Fraser, aged 35 years, and Emily, eldest daughter of R. Longfield, Esq., of Donnybrook, Botany.  
WARREN.—MACRAE.—July 14, at the residence of the Rev. Warren, foot of Pitt-street, Moore Park, Sydney, by the father of the bride, William Edward Warren, B.A., M.D., M.A., M.R.C.P., Queen's Univ., Irrel, eldest son of the Rev. Thomas Warren, foot of the Market-street, Clare, to Jessie Elsie Jeannette, youngest daughter of the Rev. Henry Macrae, of Sydney.

## Deaths.

ALDRIDGE.—July 11, at his parsonage, Petersfield, Alfred Ernest Aldridge, third son of William Henry and Elizabeth Catherine Aldridge, aged 8 years and 3 months.  
FRASER.—July 18, at her residence, 152, Campbell-street, Surry Hills, Sarah, the beloved wife of William Fraser, aged 35 years, and Emily, eldest daughter of R. Longfield, Esq., of Donnybrook, Botany.  
WITTON.—July 19, at his residence, Cambrai-street, Paddington, Isaac, aged 44 years, leaving an affectionate wife and three children to mourn their loss.  
FARNER.—July 12, at Victoria, N. S. W., the residence of his beloved wife, Emily, the beloved wife of Edmund Samuel Parkes, of Irons, Balmain, Melbourne.  
BOBERTON.—June 22, at her residence, Susannah-street, St. Leonards, North Shore, Annmarie, the beloved wife of William Leonard, of the County Cork, Ireland, R.I.P. Home papers please copy.  
BOWLING.—July 10, at her residence, Albert-street, Parramatta North, Emma, the beloved wife of Leslie C. Bowring, aged 22 years, and a painful illness.  
BYAN.—July 19, at her residence, 21, Clarence-street, Margaret Ryan, R.I.P.  
WHITE.—July 15, at her residence, 42, Gloucester-street, Margaret, the beloved wife of John White, in the 46th year of her age.

## Memoriam.

COOPER.—In sad and loving remembrance of Alfred Thomas Cooper, of the Royal Engineers, Victoria, on July 10, 1881; Father of Arthur Cooper, of this city.  
MORRISON.—In loving and sorrowful remembrance of Ethel Alice, dearly beloved and deeply regretted daughter of Mrs. E. Morrison, wife of W. F. Morrison, of Paddington, aged 18 years, in the 10th year of her age, deeply loved and deeply regreted by all who knew her. Gone, but never forgotten.  
HEYMOUR.—In affectionate and loving remembrance of our dear mother, Mrs. Heymour, of 70, Botany-road, Alexandria, N. S. W., who died on June 1, 1886, aged 77 years. In loving remembrance of our dear father, George Siddle, late of Botany-road, Alexandria, who died March 28, 1877, aged 56 years and 7 months. Letters paper please copy.

## Shipping.

**DENINSLAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.**

The Company's Steamships (under contract with the Victorian Government for the conveyance of H.M. Mail) will be despatched from Sydney to the following ports:—  
**THE PLYMOUTH AND LONDON,** via Cobham, and Bombay, sailing at Melbourne, Glenelg, and King George's Sound.

**STEAM TO ENGLAND.**  
QUEENSLAND ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

The British-India Company, being under postal contract with the Queensland Government for the Conveyance of Mails monthly between Queensland and England, the following mail-ships will sail from the following ports:—  
**THE NORTH QUEENSLAND PORTS,** Batavia, Aden, and the Suez Canal.

**STEAM TO NOUMEA, NEW CALEDONIA.**

S.S. DUPLEX, 1500 tons, E. CHAMOIS, Commander, will be despatched to NOUMEA from the M.M. Company's Wharf, Circular Quay, on MONDAY, July 28th, at 4 o'clock p.m.

For freight or passage apply to A. CONIL, Principal Agent, 11, Macquarie-place.

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Rates of Passage Money to Plymouth or London:—£70 first, and £37 second.

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J. WEIR, Agent.

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Avoiding alike the heat of the Red Sea and the cold of Cape Horn.

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**Number.** **Ton.** **Commander.** **Leave Sydney.** **Arrive San Francisco.**

Marsden ... 5000 12th August ... 6th September.

Ballard ... 4750 P. S. Tomlin July 21st ... 27th July 29th.

Eagle ... 5012 C. H. Edwards Aug. 4th ... 10th Aug. 12th.

Emu ... 5124 E. M. Edmond Aug. 18th ... 24th Aug. 26th.

Swallow ... 4750 C. H. Johnson Sept. 1st ... 7th Sept. 9th.

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**TO ANAU, 1886, TUESDAY, July 30, via Hobart, Bluff, and ROTOMAHANA, 1886, TUESDAY, July 27, via Bluff.**

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FRED. W. JACKSON, Manager.

**FIJIANIAN STEAM NAVIGATION CO.**

Passengers leave Tasmanian Jetty, Grafton Wharf, foot of Margaret-street.

For LAUNCESTON, 10th July, 1886, to 10th August.

2. CORINNA, YESTERDAY, 2nd July, at 10 a.m.

ROSEMARY, YESTERDAY.

3. SOUTHERN CROSS, MONDAY, 26th July, at 4 p.m.

No cargo received within one hour of sailing.

Passenger tickets apply to W. WILLIS, 14, Pitt-street.

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**Ship.** **Tons.** **Date.** **Ship.** **Tons.** **Date.**

JOHN ELDER ... 4192 July 21 LIGURIA ... 4695 Aug. 29

AUSTRIAL ... 5500 Aug. 14 IDIERA ... 4702 Sept. 11

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THE EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN S.S. CO., Limited.

Will despatch their steamship MERCURY, bound for GEMINI GULF, leaving Sydney on

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ANOTHER TRIUMPH  
performed by the producers of the New Sensational Drama,  
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Directed by Mr. Williamson. Mr. Williamson, Jim Farren,  
a SUCCESS OF ENTHUSIASM.

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THE SHADOWS OF A GREAT CITY,  
in consequence of TERMINATION  
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INTERESTING and powerful company, including

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Mosses, G. W. ANSON, HERTBERT FLEMING, PHILIPPE  
BECK, E. C. CALVERT, W. SEAGRAVE, J. WISEMAN,  
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THE MAGNIFICENT SCENERY by Mr. JOHN HENNINGNS,  
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REMEMBER, ONLY TEN NIGHTS.

PRICES AS USUAL  
Tickets for all parts of the house at Eastway's Hotel, Box  
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**ZERBINI'S QUAT-BETTE'S**  
LAST CONCERT.—Under the patronage of Mr. T. H. Gunnell,  
His Excellency the GOVERNOR and Lady CARRINGTON,  
the Primate and Mrs. Barry, and the Ministry.

Y. M. C. A. Hall, TO-MORROW, Wednesday, July 11,  
at 8 p.m., presents THE POSITIVELY FAIRWELETT PERFORMANCE  
of Misses Weston, Curtis, Zerbin, and Reiners.

PROGRAMME.  
1. Flute Concerto (Chopin). Beethoven  
2. Capriccio, E major, No. 3 Mendelssohn  
3. Quartet, D major, Op. 64, No. 5 Haydn  
4. Trio (piano, 'cello, & violin). Beethoven  
1. Song, "The Worker" Schubert  
2. (By desire) "Litany" Schubert  
Chorus, 50 (plan at Nicholson's); gallery, 2d. Commence at 8. S. SMYTHE.

**PRINCES'S THEATRE** (late Olympic), York-street.  
Sub-leases and Proprietor Charles Hugo.  
4th week 4th week  
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6th week 6th week  
of HUGO'S BUFFALO MINSTRELS  
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Box plan at Nicholson and Co.'s  
Orchestra Stalls, 2d; Centre Chairs, 2d; Gallery, 1s.

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Delivered free in entrance, with the achievement last night are  
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Our new first part is a decided novelty.  
New Songs, Jokes, and Humorous Sayings.  
KEENAN and MOYNIHAN  
in their unique and brilliant sketch,  
Down South.

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W. HORACE BENT'S Comic Sketch,  
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also who to conduct with the laughable burlesque on the  
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not plan at Nicholson's Music Warehouse. Day tickets at  
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Castlereagh-street, 2d; George-street, 2d; Pitt-street, 2d.

**TONIGHT**—National Concert. The Third  
Annual Reunion of the Native of Glasgow and Friends  
will take place at the Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-street, on  
TUESDAY EVENING, July 20, 1886. Alexander Keith, Esq.,  
Chairman; Dr. J. H. Hall, Vice-Chairman; Mr. J. H. Hall,  
Secretary. Tickets, 2s. 6d.; 7s. 6d.

**HORATIO GILBERT PARKER**, the Eminent  
Canadian Poet and Story-teller, with his  
DISTINGUISHED RECEPTION IN SYDNEY.  
Intends a series of FRIDAY EVENING RECITALS in the  
Y. M. C. A. Hall, residence of residents of the North Shore. Mr.  
PARKER will give a Dramatic and Humorous Recital in the  
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**LYNCH FAMILY BELLRINGERS**  
(See advertisement, page 1667).  
Tuesday (8 nights), 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, and 24th July; Mac-  
quarie-street, 2d; Castlereagh-street, 2d; Wingate, 18th July.

**GRAND CONCERT** will be given in Aid of a  
at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, July 21, 1886,  
at which FRED LEOTON and several leading artists will appear.

**ALSO**  
Miss MARY JONES,  
aged 5 years, in  
Welsh Chorus, "Miller's Daughter."  
Admission: 2s and 1s.

**SYDNEY PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY.**  
Rehearsal THIS EVENING, High school, 6 o'clock sharp.  
Programme: "Moses in Egypt."  
Haydn's "Creation."  
E. B. TRACY, Hon. Secretary.

**AUSTRALIAN WAXWORKS,**  
opposite the GRAND EXACTION THEATRE.  
LAST TWO WEEKS. LAST TWO WEEKS.  
THE GIANT FAMILY.  
CLARA, aged 8 years, weighing 100 lb.  
ANNA, aged 8 years, weighing 90 lb.  
TOM THUMB, aged 15 years, weighing 10 lb.  
and only 50 inches in height.

Admission, 1s; front seats, 2s 6d.  
Open from 15 a.m. till 10 p.m.

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WE SHOULD TAKE IN, will be POSTED  
ON THE FOLLOWING THURSDAYS, 20th instant:  
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**NEW MASONIC HALL, CASTLEREAGH-ST.**  
THREE NIGHTS ONLY.  
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY, July 20, 21, and 22.  
The hall, situated in the heart of the city, and will be  
the world's wonder, in fancy and bizarre scenes  
resembling, as far as possible, the most beautiful  
Palaces of the world.

Admission, 1s; front seats, 2s 6d.  
Doors open at 8 p.m., commence at 8.30 p.m.  
The principal bicycle dealers, and Bruce and May's  
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cooking, grills, suppers, Meats, Wine, first-class foods.  
**GYMNASTICS, BOXING, &c.**—TEACHING-DEPARTMENT, 17th Liverpool-street.

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BOYLE'S Singing Classes at Marybank School,  
Dulwich Hill, Petersham, near Paddington.  
A. LADIES' Private Singing CLASS will be opened at  
Woolstonecraft, 8 p.m., equal to private lessons. Fee, £1 per quarter.  
No charge for music.

**GRAND HOTEL,**  
opposite Parliament House.  
Board by day or night from 6 a.m.  
Breakfasts on the spot, 6s. 6d.; single night, 1s; bed and breakfast, 2s 6d.  
Meals in restaurant from 6s.  
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Overture at 6. Performance terminates at 10.30.

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Beyond doubt the most fashionable and amusing Entertainment  
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prior to his departure for Europe, of the young English Comedian,

Mr. FRANK THORNTON.

In his great impersonation of the Rev. Robert Spalding, as represented by him for over two years in America, Australia, and New Zealand.

The ever popular Australian Comedian and Manager,

Mr. H. R. HARROLD.

in his original rôle of the "Young Cut-and-mole,"

supported by THE SPECIAL COMEDY COMPANY.

The members who have recently sold collectively have received

the unanimous encomiums of the entire Sydney press.

OIL FANCY.

Owing to the limited season of THE PRIVATE SECRETARY,

the Managers beg to intimation that seats for the remaining nights

will be secured in advance, at NICHOLSON'S MUSIC WAKE-

HOUSE, George-street. Day tickets at Jack Thompson's, King-

street. Dress circle, 4s; orchestra chairs, 2s; stalls, 2s; pit, 1s.

Box Plan (plan at Nicholson's); gallery, 1s.

Representative for Mr. Sheridan, Mr. H. J. SAMUEL.

TO THE COMMITTEE OF THE ADELAIDE

JUBILEE EXHIBITION.

Dear Sirs,—It has been hinted to me that you cannot afford to pay the royal Prince of Wales to open your show, that you would not get a good sum. Now I am told that in my opinion, all I can say is, ax me before I want to know what you understand. I would not play notched fiddle to the Queen Victory, let alone her son.

Yours truly, ERIN-go-BRACH.

WIDOW O'BRIEN.

N.—I have plenty to do here at the Gaiety Theatre.

Too busy, WOOLLAHRA-COOGE.

Government

NOTES.

Department of Railways, Sydney, 26th June, 1886.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

TENDERS will be received at this Office up to 11 a.m. on the dates mentioned hereunder for the public works, &c., specified in the following schedule:

Nature of Works or Supplies Date for Receipt of Tenders.

The Construction and Erection complete of a Stationmaster's Residence at Waratah, Great Northern Railway.

Tuesday, 26th July.

The Supply and Erection of Ninety-one Overcoats for the Royal Engineers.

Tuesday, 26th July.

The Supply and Erection of Nine (9) Water Tanks of cast-iron or wrought-iron.

Tuesday, 26th July.

The Erection of Station Buildings, &c., at Michelago, on the Goulburn to Cooma Railway.

Tuesday, 26th July.

The Manufacture and Supply of Permanent Way spikes, for Construction Purposes.

Tuesday, 26th July.

The Construction and Erection (complete) of the locomotive branch at Eveleigh.

Tuesday, 26th July.

The Cleaning of Stock Wagons, Fleeting, Homebush.

Tuesday, 26th July.

The Construction and Erection (complete) of the locomotive branch at Blackheath, Great Western Railway.

Tuesday, 26th July.

The Supply of Four Wrought Iron Grilles for the Dairy Caravans on the North Shore.

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The Supply and Delivery of 176,000 Railway Sleepers, to be supplied by the Proprietor of the railway from Falmouth.

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One of our cablegrams states that at an informal meeting of the British Cinet, held on Saturday, the Ministry resolved to tender their resignations.

The Government busine on the paper of the Assembly for to-day consists of 15 orders of the day, the first being the further incision in committee of the Customs Duties Bill. The second item is the consideration in Committee of the whole of the expediency of introducing a Bill to surmise the resumption of certain portions of land in a parish of Newcastle in order to arrest, as far as possible, the sand-drift there. Several bills are set down for the second reading, including the Criminal Law Further Amendment Bill, Dairies Supervision Bill, and the Land Tax Bill, No. 2, and there are 22 private notices of motion on the paper, including that of Mr. Foster, relating to the recent removal and exclusion of s. 13. Widom from the House. This motion, it appears, will in all probability take precedence of other business this afternoon, as it is the practice of the House to defer the consideration of the Customs Duties Bill until to-morrow. Sir Patrick Jefferis will lay upon the table this afternoon a copy of the correspondence

between himself and the Agent-General on the subject of the new loan, and may make a short statement with reference to it.

With reference to the Railway Bill, which the Minister for Works intends to introduce in the Legislative Assembly, it is understood that the measure will provide for a board of three commissioners, one of whom will be the chairman of the board. The salary of the chairman will be £3000, and that of each of the other two commissioners £1500. It will also be proposed, it is said, to alter the position of Mr. Whitton, the Engineer-in-Chief for Railways, by making his removal from office a matter which can be carried out only at the instance of the Governor.

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Schoolroom to arrange for a public meeting to sympathise with Mr. Gladstone in his efforts to obtain Home Rule for Ireland. Arrangements were made for a public meeting on Friday night, 30th July. Mr. T. B. Freckill is expected to be present and address the meeting.

To-day Mr. R. P. Hickson, Assistant Engineer for Harbours and Rivers, accompanied by Mr. H. B. Walsh, Resident Engineer, the Mayor of West Maitland (Mr. Alex. Wilkinson), and Aldermen Gillies and Relton, made an official inspection of the river bank in the vicinity of the Horse Shoe Bend. The Mayor and aldermen pointed out the necessity for extending the stonework already completed for the better protection of the river bank, and also drew attention to several weak points in the existing works. Mr. Hickson was favourably impressed with the ideas of the aldermen being carried out, and promised to report to the master to the department.

In consequence of the refusal of the A. J. C. to allow the use of the Randwick racecourse for the annual meeting of the Northern Hunt Club, it is probable that the meeting will be held at Wallsend or Rutherford shortly. Improvements on the Rutherford racecourse are being rapidly carried on, and it is expected that everything will be complete in time for the first meeting next month.

Meers, Brunner and Wolfe held a sale at Main's Hotel on Saturday. Although they succeeded in disposing of a good deal of local property, the bidding was not brisk, and the prices realised were not up to expectations.

WAGGA WAGGA, MONDAY.

Major-General Richardson, accompanied by Major Mackenzie, will inspect the volunteers here to-morrow.

WENTWORTH, MONDAY.

Business is improving. Two steamers from Morgan, heavily laden with supplies, are discharging here.

#### THE WEATHER IN THE COUNTRY.

[By TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

BOURNE, MONDAY.

At Wagstaff 41 points of rain have fallen; the Bourne is 22 feet, falling; the river is 22 feet, falling, and 40 points have already fallen; the river is 22 feet, falling. At Bourke 16 points have fallen; river 32 feet 3 inches, rising. Brewarrina, 35 points, river 38 feet 6 inches, falling. Condobolin, 100 points, river 4 feet 8 inches, falling. Louth, 76 points, river 4 feet, rising. Barcung, 76 points. Eumonga, 40 points.

The weather here is cloudy, and like more rain. The wind is easterly.

BALRANALD, MONDAY.

The weather during the past week has been mild and generally. Yesterday rain fell at intervals, and at intervals until this morning, 25 points being registered. The sky is overcast and there are signs of more rain. The Murraybridge is falling slightly. Reports from the back country are favourable.

BREWARRINA, MONDAY.

Thirty-five points of rain fell yesterday.

CARCOAR, MONDAY.

After several days of threatening weather, light showers have been falling at intervals to-day. It is still cloudy.

CAMDEN, MONDAY.

The weather during yesterday and to-day has been dull, with occasional light showers. Since Friday last the gauge has registered about an inch, which will do a deal of good to the young crops. The river has risen about one foot, and is still rising.

CORAK, MONDAY.

Light rain fell here yesterday and to-day. It is still threatening.

COONAMBLE, MONDAY.

Fine steady rain set in again to-day, with signs of continuing.

DENMAN, MONDAY.

Drizzling rain set in early this morning, with every prospect of continuing. The weather is exceedingly cold.

GRAFTON, MONDAY.

It has been raining slightly at intervals to-day.

GULGONG, MONDAY.

Several smart showers fell early this morning, and a light drizzling rain has been falling all day from the eastward. Twenty-one points have fallen. It is still cloudy and threatening.

NEWCASTLE, MONDAY.

The weather is cold and wet. Rain has fallen at intervals. The streets are almost impassable for mud.

WAGGA WAGGA, MONDAY.

Steady rain commenced to fall early this morning, and is likely to continue.

WEST MAITLAND, MONDAY.

Splendid rain fell this afternoon.

WILCANNIA, MONDAY.

Splendid rain has fallen during yesterday and to-day. It appears to have gone away. The following are the reports to-day.—Inverell: shower; Wilcannia, 76 points, shower; Menindee, 6 points.

THE PASTORAL INDUSTRY IN THE WESTERN DIVISION.

[By TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

BOURKE, MONDAY.

An important meeting of pastoralists was held to-night at the Royal Hotel. The Mayor (Mr. J. G. Refford) occupied the chair, and there was a large and representative gathering, nearly 100 persons being present.

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**Auction Sales.**

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IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,  
to clear accounts.  
60 Cases EXTRA WASHINGTON CHAIRS  
22 Ditto YACHT GREEK ditto.

NATHAN COHEN and CO., have received instructions from the Consignors to sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 74, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, JULY 20, at 11 o'clock.

Terms at Sale.

TUESDAY, JULY 20.

To Chair Buyers, Furniture Warehouses, Storkeepers, Shippers, and others.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,  
40 Cases No. 11, AUSTRIAN BENTWOOD CHAIRS  
10 Ditto No. 14, ditto ditto ditto.

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TUESDAY, JULY 20.

To Bedding Manufacturers, Furniture Warehouses, and others.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,  
20 BALES BEST QUALITY KAPOK.

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Terms, cash.

NO RESERVE.

TUESDAY, JULY 20.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

10 CASES WIRE WOVEN MATTRESSES,  
1 foot 6 to 5 feet.

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TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, JULY 20.

To Private Buyers, Furniture Warehouses, Commission Brokers, and others.

REGULAR WEEKLY UNRESERVED SALE  
BY AUCTION.

SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE,  
comprising  
CHEST OF DRAWERS, MADRONE  
WALNUT, CHERRY, CHOCOLATE  
BUDWOOD, SAVES,  
KITCHEN DRESSERS, SCHE, &c.

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TUESDAY, JULY 20.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehouses, and others.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION  
of  
SUPERIOR HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE,  
to close accounts.

ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM SUITES  
MADE IN WALNUT, 1000 ditto  
AMERICAN BURL WALNUT BEDROOM ditto

MASIVE WALNUT DINING TABLES, 8 to 14 feet  
ELEGANT CARVED WALNUT SIDEBOARD

ELEGANT WALNUT CABINET, bevelled plates  
WALNUT and BIRCH TOPS, marble tops  
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WEDNESDAY, JULY 21.

ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAORDINARY.

To the Ladies and Gentry of the City and Suburbs, Jewellers, Commission Brokers, and others.

UNPRECEDENTED ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE  
BY AUCTION

of  
MAGNIFICENT DIAMOND JEWELLERY,  
THE LATEST MODERN NOVELTIES  
in  
ELEGANT STONE, GOLD, and WHICH  
FOR BRILLIANCE AND FASHION  
BY ANY GEMS ARE UNPARALLELED,  
ARE IMMEDIATELY COMMITTED TO PUBLIC  
COMPETITION,  
amongst which may be enumerated,  
SUPERIOR STONE-SETTED EARRINGS,  
of the First Water;

ELEGANT COMBINATIONS OF DIAMOND RINGS, SCARF PINS  
and STUDS.

The Latest Fashion:

GENT'S SINGLE-STONE DIAMOND RINGS

LADIES DIAMOND HALF-HOOP and GIPSY RINGS  
of the First Quality;

GENT'S SINGLE-STONE COMBINATION SCARF PINS  
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Fine Water Stones;

ELEGANT SINGLE-STONE DIAMOND RINGS

HANDSOME DIAMOND SHIRT STUDS,  
etc., &c.

Just landed, ex Ballard.

ON VIEW, TUESDAY, JULY 20, and MORNING OF SALE.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES will be distributed and may be had in the ROOMS, 74, Pitt-street, NEAR HUNTER-STREET.

NATHAN COHEN and CO., have been favoured with instructions to sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 74, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, JULY 21, at 11 o'clock.

INSPECTION RESPECTFULLY INVITED.

TERMS CASHE, NO RESERVE.

TUESDAY, JULY 21.

To Furnishing Importers, Builders, Contractors, and Others.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

50 CASES  
BY ANTHONY SHIPMENT.

ST ANNE and ROUGE MARBLE MANTELPIECES.

A SUPERIOR SHIPMENT.

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TERMS CASH, NO RESERVE.

TUESDAY, JULY 21.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

To Gentlemen Furnishing, Commission Brokers, Furniture Warehouses, and others.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE  
BY AUCTION

of  
MAGNIFICENT HIGH-CLASS LONDON-MADE FURNITURE.

Specified Selected

J. B. THIRLSTANE, Esq., for his own Private use,  
from one of the Leading West-End Houses,  
comprising—

DRAWING, DINING, and BED ROOM FURNISHINGS,  
and

ARTICLE OF VIRTU.

MOST RECHERCHE DESCRIPTION,

now being sold solely on account of the Proprietor having to return immediately to London.

GENTLEMEN FURNISHING and PRIVATE BUYERS

TO NOTE THE DATE OF THIS SALE,  
as every Article has been carefully selected,  
WITHOUT REGARD TO COST.

MUST BE POSITIVELY SOLD WITHOUT RESERVE,  
for  
Reasons stated above.

Descriptive Catalogues will be Prepared and issued prior to Day of Sale.

ON VIEW MONDAY, JULY 26,

and MORNING OF SALE.

NATHAN COHEN and CO., have been favoured with instructions to sell the above by auction, at their ROOMS, 74, Pitt-street, ON TUESDAY, JULY 27, at 11 o'clock.

A MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION

GENUINE HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE,  
as above.

Just landed, ex Cape Breton.

Full particulars in future issue.

TERMS, CASH,  
NO RESERVE.

THIS DAY, at 11 a.m., in the Market Square,  
at the NEWTON MARKETS.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

As whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Appointments,  
Effects, &c., of a 15-roomed House;  
also a double-seated Buggy and 1 single-seat.

EDWARD FRENCHE will sell, as above, on WEDNESDAY, JULY 21, at 11 o'clock. Terms cash.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 21.

TEA QUEENSLAND SUGARS  
FRUITS  
OILMEN'S STORES  
GROCERIES  
LAUGH BEER  
400 PACKAGES SOAP  
WEIN BRANDY, &c., &c.

FRASER and CO. will sell the above by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, July 21, at 11 o'clock.

500 CASES DAIRY-MILK brand Swiss Milk,  
ex Cluny.

ABSOLUTE SALE BY AUCTION.

By order of the concerned.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Particulars in catalogues.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 21,  
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Ex SOUDAN.

3500 SACKS LIVERPOOL COARSE SALT.

By order of the Agents for Shippers.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 21,  
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Ex WYNNSTAY.

1000 BOXES EXTRA GOUDA CANDLES,  
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